BUILDINGS IN ASHES

MONTICELLO VISITED BY THE WORST FIRE IN ITS HISTORY. .

North Indiana Teachers Adjourn at Marion-Miner Assassinated at Grape Creek, Ill.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MONTICELLO, Ind., April 4.- The worst fire this city has had in years broke out in Peter Fox's stable, in the rear of his saloon, at 2:30 o'clock this morning. Before the flames could be subdued part of a block of stables and business stores were destroyed. L. G. Gustavel's harness shop, with four hundred sets of harness, adjoining the Fox building, was destroyed. Fireman John Bennett fell out of an upstairs window in the Gustavel building while holding a stream for several hours. It is estimated that the new water works plant paid for itself in the amount of property saved that seemed doomed for a time. Several residences on street caught fire from the falling sparks, but were extinguished with little loss. The main loss falls on Gustavel, and amounts to \$12,000 on building and stock. Other losses were: Nancy Hughes, stable, \$500; Capt. H. Snyder, stable, \$400; Peter Fox, stable, \$150 J. A. Moore, \$200; Henry Crouch, \$100; residences, \$150; total loss, Gustavel's insurance was as foilows: Continental, \$1,500; Commercial Union, \$2,000; Hartford, \$1,500; Traders', \$1,500; Phoenix of Hartford, \$1,000; total, \$7,500. Captain Snyder carried \$150 insurance and Peter Fox

\$3,000 Incendiary Fire.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 4.-Fire to-day caused a three-thousand-dollar loss in a lumber warehouse of the Dresden & Stanfield Lumber Company. The loss is covered by insurance. The blaze was incendiary.

LOVE VOWS THAT BIND.

Sullivan County Youth Cleverly Tricked His Confiding Father.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 4.-It has been learned that Joseph Foote, of Merom, engagement with Miss Asbury, of Clay City, took Miss Asbury with him this week to Dakota as his bride. The parents in both families objected to the match, the Asbury family because they thought young Foote was wild, and the Footes objected because they felt that the boy needed a toning down quiet existence on a farm before he would be fit for domestic life. Last Wednesday the father gave him the money and deed and accepted his promise to go to North Dakota a single man and make a new record for himself. A few hours later young Foote arrived in Clay City and Miss Asbury joined him. She left her home in a plain house wrapper and the elopers drove at break-neck speed to Sullivan, where they arrived at 1 o'clock in the morning, two hours ahead of Dr. Asbury. A minister was aroused and hastily performed the marriage ceremony, and the couple caught the train for this city before the girl's father arrived in Sullivan. They registered here at a hotel as Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daily, of Paris, and the following day Mrs. Foote used considerable of her father-in-law's money buying clothing. Thursday they left for the new home in North Dakota.

DE PAUW UNIVERSITY NEWS.

Eighth Annual Conclave of "Panthygaterian"-Sigma Nu Convention. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., April 4.-The Sorvritees at De Pauw University held their eighth annual conclave of the Panthygaterian last evening at Ladies' Hall. The girls were dressed as for a county fair, and a Datrons at any time. good time, Music was furnished by the "Hot Dog Band," composed of young men. Prof. Bell A. Mansfield was toastmistress, and responded to the toast "Panthygaterian" in a very pleasing speech. Miss Stephenson spoke for the faculty ladies; also Mrs. Gobin spoke on "Our Thygaters." Toasts were made by the following: Hattie Tutwilder, Grace Smith, Fern Wood, Helen Birch, Lola Peyton, Miss Rowley, Jessie Sherwood, Mary Ewing and May Daniels. The conclave was a great success and served to strengthen the ties of friendship between the girls of De Pauw.

The fifth anual State convention of the Sigma Nu fraternity held its sessions with the De Pauw chapter Friday and to-day. The following institutions were represented De Pauw, Indiana University, Rose Polytechnic and Purdue. Friday was a business day and Friday night the delegates ban-queted at Gardner's cafe. J. K. Cecil, of De Pauw, acted as toastmaster, and Messrs. Sherman Kessler, Cook, H. K. Johnson and Harry Marsh responded to toasts. Last evening an elegant reception was given by the De Pauw convention for the De Pauw girls, and it was a decided success.

CORBETT ON BEN-HUR. The Pugilist Admires Lew Wallace

and Praises His Work. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Corbett, the actor-pugilist, was here last night in "The Naval Cadet." He proved a bigger drawing card than a Barnum's side wow. He said he had read "Ben-Hur" and was sorry Gen. Lew Wallace was not He said: "General Wallace has depicted the deal athlete in his work, and gives a sort of patent of nobility to our profession." He said he "was puzzled to know where General Wallace learned so many of the tricks of the trade. He had not made one of the ridiculous errors so common to most authors who write about athletes. He is scrupulously correct in all details and never ascribes impossible feats of strength or blun-ders into botches of training." Corbett thought that General Wallace was "a sym-nastic sharp." He said that as he was succeeding so well on the stage he might never enter the ring again.

A GRAPE CREEK TRAGEDY, A Coal Miner Assassinated in His Cabin by George Alberts.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DANVILLE, Ill., April 4.-A brutal murder was committed by a jealous husband last night at Grape Creek, a mining settlement six miles south of Danville. George Alberts and his wife, on account of the idleness of this afternoon for the purpose of arranging the husband, separated last Monday. Two days afterwards the woman became the housekeeper for Abram Barker and Robert Tidwell, two unmarried miners, who were living in a two-room cabin. About 9 o'clock last evening, while standing near the window, Tidwell was shot by Alberts, who was on the outside of the house. Three steel slugs passed through Tidwell's chest, killing him aimost instantly. Alberts then struck out through the woods south toward Edgar county. A number of officers and citizens have been looking for him to-day.

The murderer was caught by Sheriff Thompson at Metcalf. Edgar county, and brought back to Danville and placed in jail

THE TEACHERS ADJOURN. Fourteen Hundred Visitors at the Closing Session in Marion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind , April 4.- The fourteenth annual session of the Northern Indiana Teachers' Association was brought to a close a few minutes before 12 o'clock today by the fourteen hundred visitors or all that could get into First M. E. Church singing the doxology. The church was crowded last night by the people who wanted to listen to the address by Col. Francis W. Parker, of the Cook County Normal School of Chicago. His theme was "The Ideal Teacher." At the concusion he was roundly applauded. The committee on nominations then reported the following names: President, W. R. Snyder, of Muncie; vice president, Miss Mary D. Welch, of Mishawaka; treasurer, E. D. Millias, of of Mishawaka; treasurer, E. D. Millias, of Attica; corresponding secretary, Miss Jennie Hoover, of Hartford City; railroad secretary, A. D. Moffatt, of Decatur. The re-

port was adopted by the manimous vote of the association.

The executive committee reported that Elkhart had been chosen for the meeting next year, the first week in April.

At the conclusion of the work at the church the feachers of the Marion city ch

at the Marion Commercial Club. All were made to enjoy the hours spent in the clubrooms, notwithstanding that the crowd was rather large for the rooms. The Soldiers' Home full orchestra made music for the

Dr. C. A. McMurray, of Normal, Ill., addressed the meeting of the association this morning. His subject was "Concentration."
The officers of the various sections as reported to the convention this morning are

Arte President, Prof. F. H. Simon, of La-Music-President, W. E. M. Brown Knightstown. Programme committee, W. J. Stable, Richmond; Marrie C. Love, Muncie; Anna Birchard, Anderson. The selection of a secretary was left to the presi-

High School-A. U. Crull, of Huntington, president; U. H. Smith, of Anderson, vice president, and Miss Ellis, of Goodland, secretary and treasurer. R. K. Redgood, of afayette, chairman of executive commit-

Grades-President, Miss Cora Cox, of Logansport; vice president, Frank Jones, of ipton; secretary, James F. Hood, of Ma-Country and Village Schools-George W. Miller, of Kokomo, president; I. W. Dragoo,

of Muncie, secretary; executive committee, C. I. Brown, of Union Mills; L. D. Kelley, of Montpelier, and C. W. Kendall, of La-EVANGELICAL CONFERENCE.

Report of Statistical Committee Shows 10,191 Members.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., April 4.-The conference of the Evangelical Church held at Urbana this county, was called to order at 8:30 o'clock this morning by Bishop S. C. Breyfogel. After the usual opening services the meeting was addressed by Professor Umbach in the interest of the Northwestern College and Union Bible Institute, at Naperville, Ill. Rev. T. C. Mechel brought greetings from the Michigan Conference. Rev. W. J. Vigus, of Indianapolis, State agent W. J. Vigus, of Indianapolis, State agent for the American Bible Society, addressed the conference. This afternoon the report of the statistical committee showed the whole number of members of the conference to be 10,191; number of converts this year, 1,277; amount of missionary money collected \$8,389.40; amount collected for all purposes \$64,622.20; average per member, \$6.34. Rev. C. Wendel was received from the Des Moines Conference, and Rev. T. Finbiner from the Illinois Conference. Rev. A. S. Fisher was re-elected statistical secretary. The conference closed with an address by Rev. J. C.

Winchester's Woman's Club.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WINCHESTER, Ind., April 4.-In ladies organized a club which they styled "The Woman's Club." Their first year's work was devoted to the study of American poets, the next three years to the study of American history and literature, while this year has been devoted to miscellaneous literature. In the arrangement aimed to give special prominence to some country or distinguished author at a given meeting, the name of the country or author giving name to the day, this being Scotch day. Among the papers read were the following: "Robert Louis and Fannie Stephenson," "Memoirs of Fleming Jenkins" and "Kidnaped." Mrs. W. O. Smith was selected as a delegate to the Indiana Union of Literary Clubs, which meets at Connersville June 3, 4 and 5.

Kokomo Gas Explosion Exaggerated. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

KOKOMO, Ind., April 4.-The report of yesterday's gas explosion at the receiving station of the Kokomo Natural Gas and Oil Company was not wholly correct. First accounts were exaggerated, and the company to-day, in defining the result of the explosion, says that none of its patrons were affected by the accident. A four-inch pipe leading from the high pressure to the low pressure station parted, and when the workmen started a fire in the stove there was an explosion which destroyed the frame building by fire. A dozen window glass in the jail were broken and a norse in the stable under the frame building was burned. The men in the building were slightly burned about the face and hands. The company did not have to turn off the gas from its

Talk of Glass Factories Closing. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ELWOOD, Ind., April 4.-Window glass workers are somewhat uneasy because of current reports that the Western association will close down all the plants for the summer between now and May 1, because of excess stock on hand and dull market for the product. Repeated meetings of the manufacturers have no doubt given rise to these rumors, the truth or falsity of which cannot be ascertained, as manufacturers are silent. Should it be so, the workers will thus lose four months' work this fire and will be left in a bad shape. When the next wage scale ufacturers cannot break their contracts with the workers by shutting down the plants in midwinter, and an increase of 15 per cent. in wages will be demanded.

College Football Schedule. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., April 4.-Representatives from Purdue, Butler, Rose Polytechnic and Wabash met here this afternoon to arrange a football schedule for the fall games of the Indiana State League. Indiana University was not represented. The following games were decided on definitely: Nov. 7-Purdue vs. De Pauw, at Indian-Nov. 14-Rose Polytechnic vs. De Pauw,

Nov. 26-Wabash vs. De Pauw, at Green-Nov. 31-Butler vs. De Pauw, at De A full schedule could not be agreed on.

An Old "Liberty Coin."

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SPENCER, Ind., April 4.-Edward Spear, of this county, picked up a peculiar coin this week, which his father exhibited in town to-day. It is about the thickness of a twocent piece, a little larger, just fitting inside the milled rim of a fifty-cent piece. It resembles the two-cent piece on one side. The words "United States of America" appear circling inside the rim. A wreath incloses the nscription, "Liberty, 1838." On the center of the reverse side is the form of a semi-nude negress, kneeling in shackles, her hands raised and her face looking upward. Encir-cling the figure are the words, "Am I not a voman and a sister?" and the year, "1838. Mr. Spear desires to know the origin of the

Preliminary Mining Scale Meeting. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BRAZIL, Ind., April 4 .- A committee of block coal miners and operators met here a scale of prices for the mining of coal for the year beginning May 1. The price of mining in this district is governed by the price paid for mining coal in Pennsylvania and Ohio. As neither of these States have definitely settled on a scale, the meeting here to-day was adjourned until April 18, when another conference will be held. It is generally understood that the miners will demand a five-cent raise. A prominent operator said to-day that no advance whatever would be granted the miners.

Muncie Commercial Travelers, pecial to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., April 4.-This evening Muncle "Post R," of the Travelers' Protective Association of America, was organized under the direction of State president, Lem N. Hopewell, State secretary W. L. Duenwig and C. R. Duffin, chairman of the national executive committee, all of Terre Haute. The officers elected were: President, Joseph E. Crews; vice president, F. L. Shinkle; secretary and treasurer, C. M. Rich; directors, Frank Tappan, Eli Hoover, W. C. Greer, J. G. Thomas, Harry Dungan and Frank Farquhar. The post has eight-

Young Hinderer Disappears.

pecial to the Indianapolis Journal. SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 4.-Albert K linderer, for several years with the large drug house of Cushing & Co., of South Bend eft his hotel about 4 o'clock yesterday morning and has been missing ever since. Th olice have searched the surrounding coun temporarily insane from overwork or some other cause. Hinderer, who is twenty-six years old, is a son of the late Judge Hin-

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., April 4-The

rwin, former wife of Dr. S. G. Irwin, end d this evening by a verdict for the de-endant. Mrs. Irwin recently obtained a didice on account of the alleged actions of dna Campbell, who then sued for damages character. The case has lasted most of this week, and the evidence was nauseating and eagerly listened to by both men and

Dr. Coonley Escapes.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 4.- The St. Joseph Circuit Court has quashed the indictment against Dr. Dwight M. Coonley, an extensive patent medicine manufacturer, who was charged with perjury in making an affidavit that he had practiced medicine, surgery and obstetrics in South Bend most of the time since 1870, except when absent from the city. Coonley formerly resided in Chicago.

LaPorte Militia Disbands.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAPORTE, Ind., April 4.-At a meeting held at the armory in this city last night the members of Company L, of the Third In-diana Regiment, voted to disband. The company will be mustered out of the service about April 15.

Thomas Freeong Takes Poison.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

DECATUR, Ind., April 4.-Thomas

Freeong committed suicide here to-day by taking arsenic after trying to kill his sevenyear-old son. No cause is known for the Indiana Deaths.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., April 4.— Frank Byrd, a pioneer engineer on the old J., M. & I. road, dropped dead on the street at noon to-day. Mr. Byrd resided at Sel-lersburgh and had this morning accepted a position with the cement mills as chief engineer. No one in the county was more highly respected and his sudden death, which resulted from heart disease, is a

shock to his friends. Mrs. Mary Allen, aged seventy-five years, died this morning at 11 o'clock. Her death was partially due to violent hysterics caused by the death of her only son a year since. She was a life-long member of the Christian Church.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., April 4.-Willam Chaffa, an old settler of Yountsville, died this morning at the age of eighty-two years. In 1857 he came to Yountsville and was connected with the woolen mills there for twenty-five years. He was married twice, both wives now being dead. His surviving children are Mrs. Libby Wilson, of Chicago; Mrs. Martha Fisher, of New Castle, Pa.; J. M. Chaffa, of Florida, and Mrs. Sam Moore and Mrs. E. P. Hunt, of Yountsville. GREENCASTLE, Ind., April 4.—William Jerome Allen died on Friday at his home in Los Angeles, Cal., at the age of twenty-five years. He was the third son of William H. Allen, formerly in the drug business in Indianapolis, and is the second son to die since the family went to California. DUBLIN, Ind., April 4.-Charles L. Hood, long a resident of this place, died at his home this morning at 3 o'clock of general debility, aged seventy-four. For a number of years he was engaged in making brick.

RATE CUTTING AT CHICAGO. Eastern Roads Openly Shading the Grain Tariff Sheet.

CHICAGO, April 4 .- The Western roads seem to be the only ones that up to date have shown any fear of the Brown decision, or rather they are the only roads that seem to be making a strong effort to abide by it. The Eastern roads are cutting rates as badly on grain to-day as they did before the decision was made, and as deeply as they would cut them had the Joint Traffic Association. the chief aim of which is to prevent cutting of rates, never existed. The rates to the East from Chicago are being cut from 2 to 3 cents right along, and they have been cut to this extent for the last two months. Whatever efforts the Joint Traffic Association have made for the maintenance of these rates has been utterly without result, and it is not at all likely that it will be able to enforce a strict maintenance of the association agreement until after the season of navigation has fairly opened and the first rush of the grain movement is over. Then, too, the of the roads in the association have not been settled, and the chances are very bright for the continuance of the demoralization for at least three weeks, by which time the grain fleet will have sailed, and the bulk of the traffic for the time being will have been disposed of. The removal of temptation to cut rates seems, at the present time, to be about the only thing that will bring about the ob-servation of the agreed tariff.

Prospective Passenger War. CHICAGO, April 4.-Unless the Western roads speedily adjust the matter they are likely to have all sorts of trouble over the question of first-class and second-class sleepers. The Great Western, as already published, has announced that it will make second-class tickets good in first-class sleepers, and the other roads are not looking on the prospect with any amount of favor. is arranged they will arrange it so that man- Many of them claim that they will not break down the dividing line between the first-class and second-class tickets, but if the Great Western adheres to its declaration they will grant the passengers over their lines some concessions that will equalize matters with the Great Western. This means, in all probability, that they will reduce rates between Chicago and Kansas City. There is certain to be a hard fight among the lines of the Western Passenger Association before this is done, as the majority of the lines in that organization are at the present time strongly inclined to-ward conservatism. However, they will not sit on one side and see the Great Western take any traffic from them to which they consider that they are justly entitled.

No B. & O. Northwestern at Present. PITTSBURG, April 4.-The Post to norrow will say: The Baltimore Ohio Northwestern railroad to Chicago has for the present been dropped. At least nothing will be done towards affecting this big combination until both roads are out of the courts. Charles O. Scull, general passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio, is authority for the statement that the Northwest com-bination will not be pushed. He says the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern will not be abandoned, as this would abolish the route to St. Louis. Both routes will be held by the ompany, Mr. Scull thinks the Baltimore Ohio will soon be out of the hands of the receiver, as the condition of the business of the road indicates such prosperity that it will shortly be released. The party of Bal-timore & Ohio officials now inspecting the road will leave here on Monday for Wheel-

Leased to the Illinois Central. ST. LOUIS, April 3 .- By action of the hoard of directors the St. Louis, Alton & Terre Haute Railroad Company, operating the Cairo company in St. Louis, yesterday that property passed to the control of the Illinois Central Railroad Company. The transaction is explained in a circular issued to the stockholders of the Cairo Short Line by its president, which states the line has been leased to the Illinois Central for a period of ninetynine years, with the privilege of renewal. This will give the Illinois Central its own entrance to St. Louis. The circular says: "This lease has been made on the express agree-ment and guarantee of the said Illinois Cen-tral to pay a dividend of 2½ per cent. per annum to the stockholders of this company from Jan. 1, 1896. The first payment will be due on July 1, 1896, and semi-annually there-

An Association Revived.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 4.-Late this afternoon the representatives of the transcontinental lines of this country came to an agreement, and the Transcontinental Association, which has been defunct since 1892, was reorganized. R. H. Countiss, of Chicago, was elected chairman, and James Fuller, of New York, was made Eastern representative. The rate committee, which is now formulating a schedule of tariffs, still in session. There is little doubt that as soon as the new tariff is agreed upon a general advance in rates will follow.

A MURDERER'S GRAVEYARD.

Henry Bastian's Victims Supposed to Have Been Buried on His Farm.

MOLINE, Ill., April 4.-All day men have been digging over Henry Bastlan's farmyard, near Milan, after further links in the chain of evidence against Bastlan, the suicide and supposed murderer of Fred Kuschmann. Since the finding of John Lauderbach's remains another skull has been found, also an old tin basin containing coagulated bisod and human hair, believed to be from a third victim. It is now believed that Bastian's farm will be found a murderer's graveyard. Carrie Bastian, a sister gave conflicting testimony at the inquest of the bodies of Fred Kuschmann and John Lauderbach. Excitement runs high in the county over the discoveries.

THE NINTH DISTRICT

THREE-CORNERED CONGRESSIONAL FIGHT NEXT TUESDAY.

Landis, Harrison and Tuckes the Candidates Whose Fate Will Be Settled at Crawfordsville.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., April 4.-The congressional nominating convention of the Ninth district will be held in this city on next Tuesday. There will be 221 delegates here-34 from Boone county, 24 from Carroll, 36 from Clinton, 26 from Fountain, 40 from Hamilton, 41 from Montgomery and 20 from Tipton. The three leading aspirants for the nomination are C. B. Landis, of Delphi, Dr. Tucker, of Noblesville, and R. W. Harrison, of Lebanon. A special train will be run from Monday, bearing Republicans coming in the

DELPHI, Ind., April 4.—The Carroll county Republican central committee met at the courthouse here to-day and fixed April 30 as the date for the county convention and Flora as the place. A resolution indorsing the candidacy of Charles B. Landis, editor of the Delphi Journal, for Congress, was passed unanimously and enthusiastically, every Re-publican present pledging every honorable effort for the success of Carroll county's can-didate. The resolutions recite the many serv-ices of Mr. Landis in the interest of his party, in his newspaper work, in his public speeches in this and other States, and in the councils of his party. Mr. Landis has distinguished himself as one of the most effective campaigners in this part of Indiana, and has received many expressions of interest in his present campaign from Republicans in Ohio, where he gave substantial assistance in the great campaign of 1895. in the great campaign of 1895.

Mount Speaks at Terre Haute.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 4.-The Hor James A. Mount, candidate for the nomina tion for Governor, addressed the McKinley Club last night. At the conclusion of hi speech a vote of thanks was tendered him and three cheers were given for McKinley.
The Prohibitionists have decided to put a councilmanic ticket in the field this spring, and a convention has been called to make the nominations. It is also the intention to nominate a county ticket. What the Prohibitionists expect to accomplish in behalf of temperance in the Council is not clear, inasmuch as the enforcement of the liquor laws is in the hands of a police board appointed by the Governor. The Populists will also have candidates for council and the council and

Work of the Courthouse Ring. .

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENCASTLE, Ind., April 4.-After one of the bitterest personal fights ever made in Putnam county, the Democrats yesterday at their primary election re-elected the following ticket: John H. Jones, Representative; James Y. Browning, treasurer; Richard M. Bunten, sheriff; Edward H. Klembut, coroner; James F. O'Brien, surveyor; Johnson C. Herod, assessor; James E. Talbott and William S. Burris, commissioners. Five of the eight men are taken from Greencastle, and the country fellows are up in arms at the selections, which were made at the demand of a courthouse ring. The ticket can be easily beaten.

Political Pavilion Talked Of. special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PERU, Ind., April 4.-At a meeting in the courthouse last evening Republican candidates for councilmen were nominated as follows: Ira J. Stevens, J. D. Oates, Richard Blakely and George W. Delbert. Republicans and the McKinley Club of this city are negotiating to erect a pavilion for summer Three out of four of the holdover council men and the Mayor are Republicans, and the Republicans never before had so good a chance to elect a Republican Council The Penublicans have never before had so good a chance to elect a Republican Council The Penublicans have never before the penublicans and the penublicans have never before the penublicans are penulicans.

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gates and alternates to the Fifth congressional district convention, to be held here on Thursday, April 16. They are as follows: Delegates—James Burton, Jo St. John, George Bromwell and J. M. Blair. Alter-nates—Dr. Banta, Huitt Nutter, J. E. Sed-wick and John H. Jones.

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by far the most complete in the city. We also carry a fine

Delaware County Prohis on Deck. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., April 4.-The Prohibitionists of Delaware county met to-day and selected the following county ticket: Joint Senator, John Powers; Representative, T. S. Hutson; treasurer, Thomas Bartlet; sheriff, B. F. Whitehair; prosecutor, Washing-

men who want liquor licenses. Elder Hark-ins, of Anderson, talked for two hours. Democratic Ticket in Hancock.

ton Maynard; surveyor, J. R. Griffith; cor-oner, Dr. E. W. Ellis; assessor, Milo Good-

pasture; commissioners, Mark Swearingen and Clark Sanders. The newspapers were censured for printing advertisements from

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENFIELD, Ind., April 4.- The Democrats of Hancock county held their primaries to-day, and returns from a majority of the precincts up to midnight indicate the Montgomery Marsh; prosecutor, John F Wiggins; treasurer, Theodore Smith; sheriff, Noah Speagal; commissioners, George Crider and John Manche; surveyor, William Cleary; assessor, Homer Leonard; coroner,

Monroe County Ticket.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., April 4.-The Republican nominating convention to-day was the largest ever held in the history of the party here. Hon. Joseph E. Henly presided and the following ticket was nominated: Auditor, Dr. A. C. Farr; sheriff, George D. Thornton; commissioners, George Fletcher and Monroe Miller; coroner, Robert Rogers; surveyor, John Bowers; assessor, Robert Campbell.

Lebanon Citizens' Ticket. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LEBANON, Ind., April 4.-In response t a call a big mass meeting was held in the courthouse here to-night and a citizens' ticket was put in the field. Wright Sims and J.
M. Batterton, Republicans, and James Garner and Mark Jones, Democrats, were nominated for councilmen. The meeting is the result of the recent electric-light contract

TRAGEDY IN A COURT ROOM.

Populist Politician Probably Fatally Shot by Another Tennessean.

CARTHAGE, Tenn., April 4.-A sensational tragedy was enacted here yesterday afternoon, in which R. S. Williams, clerk of the Circuit Court, shot and probably fatally wounded Clarence W. Garrett, a lawyer of the Carthage bar and a prominent Populist politician. The men have been at outs for some time and trouble was feared. Williams was drinking hard yesterday and went into the court room where Garrett was engaged in a case. He sat down and waited until court adjourned, when he walked up to Garrett and began firing. Garrett was shot three times, twice after he had fallen to the floor. The cause of the trouble is Gar-rett's statements relative to the relations alleged to exist between Williams and his sister-in-law. Williams is dangerously ill from nervous shock and both men may die. Williams is under arrest, however.

TUBERCULOSIS IN CATTLE.

esult of an Examination of a Herd of Blooded Stock at Economy.

PITTSBURG, April 4-As a result of

ably require all dairymen to furnish clean

test made at Economy Pittsburg will prob-

buls for all cows used in their business. Trustee Dus recently decided before selling a herd of blooded cows to a dairy company to have the herd tested with tuberculin for tuberculosis. The result showed that 5 per cent. of the cows were diseased. This Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., April 4.—The Republicans of Washington township met in Steps have been taken in Pittsburg looking to the same and.

Does Your Wife

Sweetheart or Sister

Have a birthday this month? Diamond is her birthstone.

76 N. Penn St.

We have some pretty Diamond Rings, \$10 to \$18 : . .

IMPORTER FINE DIAMONDS Room 4,

GOOD DAY FOR EASTER BONNETS.

Fair and Warmer Weather Predicted by the Washington Forecaster. WASHINGTON, April 4 .- For Ohio-Generally fair; warmer; light westerly winds. For Indiana-Fair; warmer; light, variable

For Illinois - Fair, but partly cloudy; warmer in northern portion; light, variable

Saturday's Local Observations. Bar. Ther. R.H. Wind, Weather, Pre. 7 a. m., 30.39 35 55 N'west. Clear, 0.00 7 p. m., 30.33 51 37 N'west. Pt. cl'dy. 0.00 Maximum temperature, 54; minimum temperature, 30. Foilowing is a comparative statement the temperature and precipitation April 4:

Yesterday's Temperatures. The following table of temperatures . ished by the United States Weather Bureau: Cairo, Ill 42 Dodge City Jacksonville, Fla 52
Kansas City, Mo 42
Little Rock, Ark 52 Qu'Appelle, N. W. T..... Rapid City, S. D Salt Lake City pringfield, III

when two young ladies, who were stran-

Blissard in Northern New York. MALONE, N. Y., April 4.-No storm this vinter has delayed traffic worse than the New York to-day. The storm began at noon yesterday and is still raging. No trains from years old. It had scaled off and dropped to the East have reached Malone.

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gers in New York, came out. They were making off up Broadway, when a policeman hurried after and halted them, and I man hurried after and halted them, and I saw him take a parcel from one of them, who had it hidden under her jacket.

"What is it?" I asked as he returned.

"Just this," he replied as he unwrapped the paper and revealed a fragment of an old grave-stone about as large as a man's hand and weighing a pound or more.

"You must have been watching them?" the ground."

Strange, isn't it, that relic-hunters will even go to the tembetanes of the dead of the last century, and yet many and many a fragment of the shattered and shivered head-stones of Old Trinity and St. Paul is carried away even week in the year.